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PATENT APPL SERIAL NO. 10/804,892

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:  
Eric W. Smith, et al.

Serial No.: 10/804,892

Filed: March 19, 2004

For: DISPENSING DEVICE  
AND METHOD

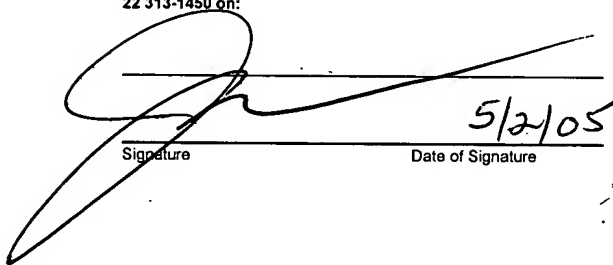
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RESPONSE

Sir:

This responds to the outstanding Office Action dated January 12, 2005, in which the drawings were objected to, and claims 1-9 were rejected over prior art. Favorable reconsideration of the objection and rejection is requested in view of the following new drawing, amendment to the claims, and accompanying remarks.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Please insert new Fig. 5 to the drawings of the application.

Please insert the following at page 4, line 25 of the specification:

-- Figure 5 is a cross-sectional view generally illustrating the  
use of the device of Figure 1 to seal a water leak. --

Please insert the following at page 8, line 24 of the specification: